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FM AMEMBASSY ABU DHABI

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 4291

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E.O. 11652: NA

TAGS: EINV, TC

SUBJ: VISIT OF OPIC OFFICIAL MIDDLETON

REF: STATE 104413

1. EMBASSY WELCOMES VISIT OF CARL MIDDLETON. CONFIRMED HOTEL RESERVATIONS OBTAINED FOR NIGHTS MAY 19-22 AT AL-AIN PALACE HOTEL. WHILE EXPLORING WITH MIDDLETON THE POTENTIAL FOR OPIC AGREEMENTS HERE, EMBASSY WOULD ALSO WISH TO DISCUSS PERFORMANCE GUARANTEE PROBLEM AND OPIC OF NEGOTIATIONS WITH SAUDI ARABIA.

2. SUGGEST VISIT TO EMIRATES OTHER THAN ABU DHABI BE SCHEDULED FOR SATURDAY, MARCH 22. CAR AND DRIVER AVAILABLE FROM AVIS. CHARGES ARE 30 DOLLARS PER DAY WHICH INCLUDES 100 KMS. KILOMETERS OVER 100 ARE CHARGED AT 13 CENTS/KM. DRIVER FOR EIGHT HOURS IS 28 DOLLARS.

3. EMBASSY BELIEVES FOLLOWING APPOINTMENTS WOULD BE USEFUL: ABDEL SHUKRI, ECONOMIC ADVISOR, MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS; HASSAN ABBAS ZAKI OR NASSER AL-NOWEIS, ABU DHABI FUND FOR ARAB ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT; ABDULLAH NASSER, DIRECTOR OF PROJECTS, ABU DHABI NATIONAL OIL COMPANY; BART PAFF, ECONOMIC ADVISOR TO SHAIKH SULTAN (SHARJAH); TAWFIC ABU KHATER, ADVOSOR TO SHAIKH SAQR (RAS-AL-KHAIMAH).

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4. PLEASE ADVISE IF MIDDLETON HAS FURTHER APPOINTMENT
SUGGESTIONS.
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